AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) A software-installing method for installing software in a computer so as to use one of a plurality of printing devices connected to the computer through a network, the method comprising the steps of:

acquiring a template of a scenario which ~~describes~~ is a file describing procedures for installing the software, the template including parameters specific to the computer;

acquiring data corresponding to the parameters contained in the template with respect to said computer by searching an installation database; and

producing the scenario which is specific to said computer by incorporating the acquired data into the parameters of said template.

2. (Original) The software-installing method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a step of inputting the produced scenario to an installation program.

3. (Original) The software-installing method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a step of acquiring the data corresponding to the parameters from the installation database located outside said computer.

4. (Original) The software-installing method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a step of acquiring data regarding print setting information as data for said parameters from said installation database.

5. (Currently amended) A software-installing method for installing software in a computer so as to use one of a plurality of printing devices connected to the computer through a network, the method comprising the steps of:

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producing a template of a scenario which ~~describes~~ <u>is a file describing</u> procedures for installing the software<u>, the template including parameters specific to the computer</u>; and

producing the scenario, which is specific to said computer, based on the produced template.

6. (Currently amended) A processor readable medium storing program code means for causing a computer to install therein software to use one of a plurality of printing devices connected <u>to</u> the computer through a network, the medium comprising:

program code means for acquiring a template of a scenario which ~~describes~~ <u>is a file describing</u> procedures for installing the software<u>, the template including parameters specific to the computer</u>;

program code means for acquiring data corresponding to <u>the</u> parameters contained in the template with respect to said computer by searching an installation database; and

program code means for producing the scenario which is specific to said computer by incorporating the acquired data into the parameters of said template.

7. (Original) The processor readable medium as claimed in claim 6, further comprising program code means for inputting the produced scenario to an installation program.

8. (Original) The processor readable medium as claimed in claim 6, further comprising program code means for acquiring the data corresponding to the parameters from the installation database located outside said computer.

9. (Original) The processor readable medium as claimed in claim 6, further comprising program code means for acquiring data regarding print setting information as data for said parameters from said installation database.

Claims 10-13 (Canceled)